

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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In re Application of:  
Qing YANG

Application No.: 10/693,077

Confirmation No.: 3381

Filed: October 24, 2003

Art Unit: 2189

For: DISTRIBUTED RAID AND LOCATION  
INDEPENDENCE CACHING SYSTEM

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Examiner: Shawn X Gu

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED JANUARY 31, 2008**

**Mail Stop: RCE**  
Commissioner of Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicant respectfully submits this paper in response to the Final Office Action mailed January 31, 2008 ("Office Action"), along with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE).

Applicant does not believe that any fees are due, other than those that may be noted in an accompanying paper. However, should any additional fees be due, such fees are hereby authorized to be charged to Deposit Account No. 22-0185, under Order No. 27529-00362-US11.

Applicant's amendments and remarks are found beginning at the following pages:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin at page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin at page 7 of this paper.

Applicant respectfully requests entry of the amendments indicated herein, and reconsideration of this application.